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In re Patent Application of

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For: CLONING PIGS USING DONOR CELLS  
OR NUCLEI FROM DIFFERENTIATED  
CELLS (SOMATIC OR GERM CELLS  
AND PRODUCTION OF PLURIPOTENT  
PORCINE CELLS BY NUCLEAR TRANSFER )



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**TRANSMITTAL OF VERIFIED STATEMENT CLAIMING  
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AND  
REQUEST FOR REFUND**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status,  
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It is respectfully requested that one-half of the original filing fee filed on September 13,  
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Respectfully submitted,

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